

REMARKS

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action mailed on June 6, 2008.

All objections and rejections are respectfully traversed.

Claims 1-16, 39-40, 45-51 are in the case.

Request for Interview

The Applicant respectfully requests a telephonic interview with the Examiner after the Examiner has had an opportunity to consider this Amendment, but before the issuance of the next Office Action. The Applicant may be reached at 617-951-3067.

Allowable Subject Matter

At paragraphs 10-12 of the Office Action, claims 1-16, 39-40, and 45-51 were deemed allowable.

Claim Rejections – 35 USC §102

At paragraphs 7-9 of the Office Action, claim 41 rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) as being anticipated by Corbett, et al. U. S. Patent No. 6,993,701, hereinafter Corbett.

Applicant has cancelled claim 41, therefore the rejection is moot.

All independent claims are believed to be in condition for allowance.

All dependent claims are dependent from independent claims which are believed to be in condition for allowance. Accordingly, all dependent claims are believed to be in condition for allowance.

Favorable action is respectfully solicited.

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Respectfully submitted,

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